

**STATE OF NEW MEXICO
ENERGY, MINERALS AND NATURAL RESOURCES DEPARTMENT
OIL CONSERVATION DIVISION**

**APPLICATION OF COG OPERATING LLC
FOR COMPULSORY POOLING, LEA COUNTY,
NEW MEXICO.**

Case No. 24379

COG'S PRE-HEARING STATEMENT

COG Operating LLC ("COG"), the applicant in this matters, submits this pre-hearing statement pursuant to the rules of the Oil Conservation Division.

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COG's STATEMENT OF THE CASE

COG seeks an order pooling all uncommitted interests in the Wolfcamp formation underlying a standard 960-acre, more or less, horizontal well spacing unit comprised of the E2 of Section 34, Township 25 South, Range 32 East, and the E2 of Sections 3 and 10, Township 26 South, Range 32 East, NMPM, Lea County, New Mexico. COG seeks to initially dedicate the above-referenced horizontal spacing unit to the following proposed wells:

- **Piledriver Federal Com 712H, Piledriver Federal Com 713H** and the **Piledriver Federal Com 714H** wells be horizontally drilled from a surface location in the NE4 of Section 34, with first take points in the NE4NE4 (Unit A) of Section 34 and last take points in the SE4SE4 (Unit P) of Section 10; and
- **Piledriver Federal Com 715H** and the **Piledriver Federal Com 716H** wells be horizontally drilled from a surface location in the NE4 of Section 34, with first take points in the NW4NE4 (Unit B) of Section 34 and last take points in the SW4SE4 (Unit O) of Section 10.

The completed interval of the Piledriver Federal Com 714H well is expected to remain within 330 feet of the offsetting quarter-quarter section or equivalent tracts to include that acreage in a standard horizontal well spacing unit. COG and affiliated entities own all the working interest in this proposed unit, and only seeks to pool an overriding royalty interest owner who has yet to execute the necessary communitization agreement.

APPLICANT’S PROPOSED EVIDENCE

WITNESS Name and Expertise	ESTIMATED TIME	EXHIBITS
Michael Potts, Landman	Self-Affirmed Statement	Approx. 5
Ben Breyman, Geologist	Self-Affirmed Statement	Approx. 3

PROCEDURAL MATTERS

There are no procedural matters, and COG intends to present this case by self-affirmed statements if they remain unopposed at the time of the hearing.

Respectfully submitted,

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